

HANCOCK

SEVEN TEAMS ENTER THE HANCOCK INDOOR LEAGUE

Officers of Hancock Fraternal Indoor Baseball League Elected at Annual Meeting Last Evening and November 7 is Selected As Date for Opening Games—Season Will End May 30.

The Hancock Fraternal Indoor baseball league was reorganized and launched for the season last night at an enthusiastic meeting held in Germania hall. There were twenty-two representatives of various societies present, and the interest shown indicates a very successful season.

Officers were elected as follows for the coming season:

President—John C. Condon.
Vice-president—Bismark Drittler.
Secretary and treasurer—William C. Madigan.

The teams that will constitute the league will be those representing the Ancient Order of Hibernians, the Knights of Columbus, Catholic Order of Foresters, Naval Reserves, Eagles, Light Infantry and the Elks. The A. O. U. Foresters and Knights of Columbus had already previously paid their membership fee while the applications of the others were received last evening. It had been expected that applications would be received from the United Commercial Travelers and the College of Mines, but they did not materialize.

The league will meet again on Monday night when the applications will be formally acted upon and a committee appointed to prepare a schedule of games. It was decided last evening to have the first games on the evening of November 2, with games Tuesday and Friday evenings up to May 30. A resolution was adopted providing for a division of the proceeds pro rata among the several teams at the end of the season, in accordance with the relative standings of the teams. It is felt that this will be more of an incentive to the men to do good work than playing merely for fun and glory. Other points acted upon last night were resolutions that teams should not sign more than fifteen men each and that only fraternal organization teams should be eligible to membership.

SOME COMING DANCES.

Several Parties Arranged for by Various Hancock Organizations.

The dancing season has opened in Hancock and a number of local societies have announced their annual dances to be held in the near future. The Knights of Pythias started the ball rolling with their party last week and on Thursday, October 7, the Holy Robekah lodge will hold its annual dance with music by the Quincy orchestra.

The ladies of Ingot hive, No. 719, L. O. T. M. are selling tickets for a dancing party to be given at the Rouleau hall on the evening of Friday, October 29.

The annual dance of the Hancock

fire department that is to be held on October 27 will be one of the big social affairs of the season and the committee is now giving out tickets to the members to be disposed of. The Quincy band will furnish the music.

The Hibernian indoor baseball team will give a promenade in Germania hall on Halloween, with a ten piece Quincy orchestra to furnish the music. The proceeds will be applied towards the season's expenses.

The Portage lake orchestra has arranged to give a series of promenades during the fall and winter season at the Germania hall, one to be held each Wednesday evening.

The Hancock lodge of Elks will give the first of their dancing parties of the season at the club house on Friday evening, with the Twin City orchestra furnishing the music. These dances are always popular with the members and a good attendance is looked for.

THE CITY'S FINANCES.

The report of City Treasurer Hendrickson for the month of September, as submitted to the council on Monday evening showed balance on hand September 1, \$27,554.63; receipts for the month, \$75,164.63; disbursements, \$31,319.57; balance on hand Oct. 1, \$71,499.53. The receipts included \$22,729 from J. H. Sonntag & Co. for water extension bonds, and \$18,159 from the First National bank of Cleveland for front street improvement bonds; also \$122 fines from Justice Oliver and \$77 fines from Justice Funky.

The estimate of the school board, in its request for an appropriation of \$25,500 for the year, gave the following details: Salaries, \$25,000; fuel, \$2,000; incidentals, \$1,000; interest, \$800; repairs, \$1,200; library, \$500; supplies, \$1,500; grounds and buildings, \$2,500; furniture, \$1,200; janitor, \$2,500; total, \$38,000; less interest on primary school fund, \$10,000; amount required to be raised by taxes, \$28,000.

AN EXCELLENT BAND.

D'Urbanos Italian Band Pleases at Opening of Engagement.

D'Urbanos Italian band opened an engagement of six days with matinee and evening concerts at the Kerredge theater yesterday. The band is a very large one, with forty-five pieces, and is one of the finest musical organizations ever heard in this city. The rendering of Verdi's "Trovatore" last evening was unusually good and the band received an ovation upon its conclusion. The singing by Miss Reid was very pleasing, her voice being of a very delightful quality. The work of Signor D'Urbanos in conducting the orchestra was unique to say the least, and as he waved his wand and shook his hair at the musicians he seemed to hypnotize the music from their instruments, drawing forth notes apparently with his finger tips, and graying from side to side, he presented a strange figure of marked individuality of manner.

YOUNG MATRON EXPIRES.

Mrs. Riley Day Passes Away This Morning After Brief Illness.

Mrs. Riley Day, aged 18 years, died at half past 5 o'clock this morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Black on Reservation street, after an illness lasting only about four days.

She appeared to be on the road to recovery yesterday, but last evening became worse and sank rapidly. She is survived by her husband, who is employed in the barber shop of William J. Black, and is a brother of Mrs. Black, and an infant child, six months of age. The remains will be sent tomorrow afternoon on the St. Paul train to Vincennes, Ind., where the burial will take place.

RESERVES TEAM ORGANIZED.

The football team of the Naval Reserves has been organized for the season with Will Wealton as captain, and the latter will have his men out for practice during the month, preparatory to taking part in the big "Army and Navy game" in November. It has been decided to have the match between the Reserves and the Light Infantry on November 7, instead of Thanksgiving day, as at first planned, it being expected that it will be too cold and there is likely to be much snow about Thanksgiving time.

Y. M. C. A. MAN HERE.

J. R. VanDis, state boys secretary of the Young Men's Christian association, who is in the copper country on official business, called yesterday upon several local gentlemen who were interested in the Y. M. C. A. in this city. Mr. VanDis expressed a hope that the association might be revived here in the not distant future, and conducted in a manner to assure its continued success. Last evening he was present at a meeting of the King's Minute Men of the Congregational church and made an address to the boys.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

W. Frank James has purchased from Ed Hertson lot 15, block 5, of Condon's third addition. Mr. James has sold to J. J. Kirk of Calumet lot 11, block 1, of the Elsie addition. Fred Duncan has purchased from A. A. Johnson the six room house on the south half of lot 5, block 2, Anthony addition. This transfer also took place through the James agency.

The Women's Missionary society of the Congregational church meets this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Edwin Henwood on Center street. It will be the annual fall thank offering meeting.

SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING.

A special meeting of the common council will be held this evening for the purpose of hearing objections to the sidewalk plans and also upon the Hancock street paving plans and assessments. It is expected that there will be a number of residents present to voice complaints, there having been some dissatisfaction expressed in some quarters regarding grades, etc.

WEDDED AT DETROIT.

Harry P. Key of this city and Miss Eula Lee Brown were married in Detroit on September 25. The groom is a son of Contractor H. F. Key of this city and a graduate of the Hancock high school. He is now employed as bookkeeper for the Diamond Manufacturing company of Detroit.

HANCOCK BREVITIES.

Hilja Elina, the two-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bahkquist of Atlantic died yesterday afternoon. The funeral will be held tomorrow, with services conducted by Rev. John Back of Hancock and interment will be in Lakeside cemetery, Hancock.

The annual meeting of the Ladies Aid society of the Hancock M. E. church takes place this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Thomas Whittle in East Hancock.

Three women were arrested by Officer Wright and were arraigned before Justice Funky on charges of being disorderly persons. On one of them sentence was suspended, another was given the option of paying fine and costs or leaving town, and the third paid a fine and costs.

Verblie Brothers, the Hancock contractors, have the contract to erect a one story bungalow on Agate street in East Houghton for Alfred Meuche.

Some of the Hancock competitors in athletic contests at the Y. M. C. A. park in Calumet on Labor day are wondering when they are going to receive the prizes awarded them. The members of the Finnish Athletic club have thirteen medals of various degrees of merit coming to them and Earl McGlynn, who was entered in the races, was also a prize winner, but none of these have as yet received the prizes awarded them.

Proxies are being sent out today for the annual meeting of the Finnish American Mining company, which is to take place in Duluth on Tuesday, November 9.

R. J. McVeigh of Calumet was a business visitor in Hancock yesterday. The flag on the local customs inspector office was flying at half staff yesterday on account of the death of Collector Gad Smith at Marquette.

Ira E. Wright has returned from a week's trip to Chicago and has taken up his position with the local branch of the Stone-Ordian Wells company.

Michael J. Brustmaker and Nick Dondlinger returned yesterday from a partridge hunting trip to Baraga county and brought back a good bag of the birds.

Miss Theresa Donovan of Calumet returned home yesterday after a visit of several weeks in Hancock.

Mrs. John Scanlon went to Calumet yesterday for a visit with friends. William Bossiers and Miss Nina Jourral were married a few days ago in this city, the ceremony being performed by Justice Funky.

The slender case against Chris Bremer of Franklin brought on complaint of James McCarthy, was concluded in Justice Oliver's court yesterday afternoon, the defendant being obliged to pay a \$2 fine and costs, amounting altogether to \$19.25.

SEXTON, VERGER, SACRISTAN.

"It is the same thing under different names," said Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, the government's food expert, of some new food preservative.

"The same thing under different names," Dr. Wiley repeated. "It reminds me of the old car-taker of an Episcopal church."

"This caretaker, as he sat smoking his pipe on a tomb in the cemetery, dismissed as trivial certain changes in the ritual."

"The good old creed keeps the same for all," said he. "Look at me. I used to be the janitor. The new parson called me the sextant. Dr. Thirly gave me the name of virgin. And the young man we've got now says I'm the sacrilege."—Washington Post.

BETTER STICK TO THE BENCH.

A colored man was brought before a police judge charged with stealing chickens. He pleaded guilty and received sentence, when the judge asked how it was he managed to lift those chickens right under the window of the owner's house when there was a dog loose in the yard.

"Hit wouldn't be no use, judge," said the man, "to try to 'splain dis thing to yo'-all. Ef you was to try it you like as not would get yer hide full of shot an' get no chickens, nuther. Ef yo' want to engage in any rascality, judge, yo' better stick to de bench, whar yo' am familiar."—Ladies' Home Journal.

THE CLERMONT SCARED THEM.

As the Clermont steamed up the Hudson the great drumlike wheels hurled water high into the air and from her smokestack issued a volume of flame. The roaring of her engines could be heard for a mile.

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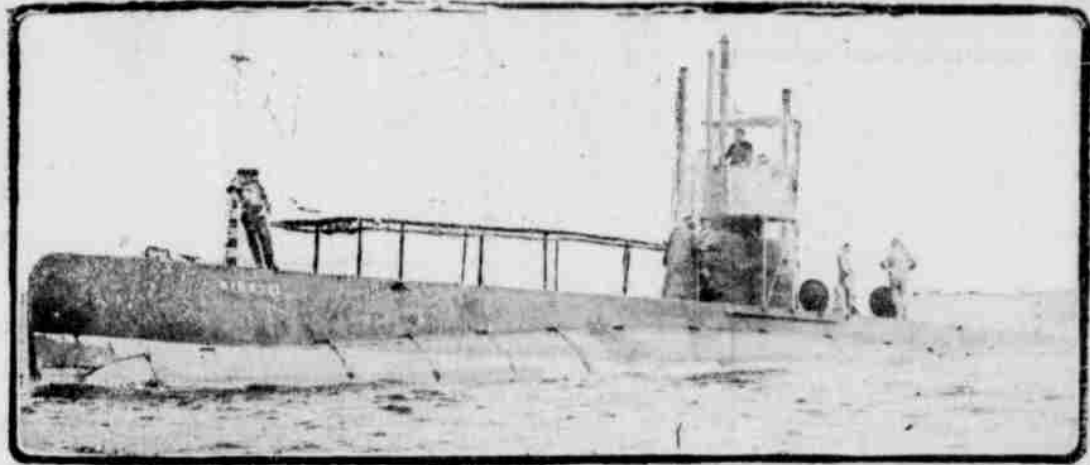
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THE FASTEST SUBMARINE IN THE WORLD



SUBMARINE NARWHAL.

Boston, Mass., Oct. 6.—The new United States submarine, Narwhal of the Holland electric type, can now lay claim to the title, "queen of the underwater world," having successfully passed every test of the navy department and established a record

for speed which makes her the fastest as well as the largest submarine in the world. After making thirteen nautical miles, surface speed, she was submerged and made a world's record for submerged speed. To crown all she has recently established a new record for sustained surface speed at sea by running 300 nautical miles in twenty-four hours, making no stop in

that time. That exhaustive trial was made between Cape Cod and Cape Ann, with two of the naval trial board officers, Smith and Armstrong, aboard. She is shortly to have a 200 feet underwater submergence test, north of Race point. Great things are also expected of the Tarpon, Stingray, boats of the Narwhal type, but smaller size.

TORCH LAKE NEWS

BUILDING OPERATIONS ARE PROGRESSING RAPIDLY NOW

Three Fine New Residences are Being Erected at Lake Linden—Hubbell Also Enjoys a Prosperous Year—Work is Being Pushed and Progress is Very Satisfactory.

Contractor Ernest Myers is steadily employed with the new structures which he has under way. The greater portion of the summer Mr. Myers has had a force of men at work building new residences and has three new ones under way. This spring he completed a fine residence for Mrs. Glanville, which is located on Calumet street and the new structure and residence for Mr. and Mrs. James Burgen is fast nearing completion.

Contractor Myers is also at work putting up a fine new residence for Robert Middlemiss to be located on Calumet street across the corner from the residence of Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Orr. This new building will be 34x20 feet, with 18 foot posts. There will be eight rooms in the residence, the first floor containing a parlor, sitting room, dining hall, reception hall, kitchen and pantry and on the second floor will be four sleeping rooms, linen closet and bathroom. The third floor will also be used as a room and will be lathed and plastered the same as the other rooms of the house. The red sandstone foundation has been completed and the contractor has the first floor laid. The cellar will be large and convenient the height of the room being ten feet. The structure will be heated with a furnace and when completed will be one of the most modern residences of the county.

Mr. Meyers also has the contract for the erection of a residence for Ransom Pearce, to be placed on the farm lands owned by the Pearce estate. The structure will be more of a summer home for the members of the family than a permanent residence. The structure will be one story, 24x28 feet in size, with a cottage roof and will have four rooms, besides a bath and pantry. It will be a neat little structure when completed. It will rest on a concrete foundation, that part of the structure being now under construction. It is expected this will be completed by the end of the week so that the contractor can commence operations on the superstructure next week.

Several new homes have been built in Hubbell this season, besides three fine new business blocks, including the concrete store for John B. Hodges, a fine two story brick structure hall and general store for Henry Opa, and the new First National bank building.

MANY ATTEND FUNERAL.

The funeral of Mrs. Peter Surprenant, 88, was held this morning and was one of the largest that has been witnessed in the Torch Lake town for many months. At 9:30 the solemn cortege left the residence on Tunnel street and wended its way to Holy Ro-

sary church, where the services were conducted. Long before the hour of service every available seat in that edifice was filled with friends and mourners. The members of the Altar society of the church had charge of the funeral, and the other organizations of which the deceased was a member, attended. Representatives of the P. U. S. C. E. also the W. C. O. F. were in attendance at the church and followed the remains to the cemetery.

TORCH LAKE BREVITIES.

The arrangement committee for the Hubbell firemen's dance met last evening and plans for the social affair were settled. The dance will be held in Opa's new dance hall on the night of October 15, and the Hubbell band will play the dance numbers.

Mrs. John Gill of Virginia, Minn., was the guest of Mrs. John Poe of Hubbell yesterday.

The N. P. L. of Hubbell will hold a regular meeting this evening. The business will be followed by a social time when refreshments will be served and music and dancing will be indulged in. Each member has the privilege of inviting one friend.

There will be an Eastern Star meeting in Lake Linden tonight. The officers of the chapter will entertain the members and a good time is looked forward to.

Richard Croker, former leader of Tammany, is expected to be in New York several weeks before election day. Coffeyville has been added to the list of Kansas cities that have adopted the commission form of government.

United States Senator McCumber of North Dakota has opened his campaign for re-election with a series of speeches on the tariff.

Adolph O. Eberhart, the successor of the late Governor Johnson, is the first republican executive Minnesota has had since 1904.

Eugene W. Chaffin, prohibition candidate for president of the United States in 1908, predicts that Chicago will be without saloons two years hence.

Thomas Morris of La Crosse, a member of the Wisconsin senate, is said to be the choice of the La Follette element of the republican party in that state for governor.

James Hamilton Lewis, who wants to be the next mayor of Chicago, has had a varied career in politics. A southerner by birth and education, he

removed to the state of Washington in 1886 and in 1892 was a candidate for governor. He served one term in Congress and was an unsuccessful candidate for the senate. In 1900 he was a candidate for the vice-presidential nomination before the democratic convention at Kansas City. Since 1902 Mr. Lewis has resided in Chicago.

United States Senator Dick of Ohio has come out a strong supporter of the primary election of United States senators and will submit his candidacy for re-election to primary vote.

Maryland democrats, who are making a hard fight for the disfranchisement amendment, have asked ex-Governor Vardaman of Mississippi, Senator Stone of Missouri, Senator Culberson of Texas and other prominent southern politicians to aid in the campaign.

Otto T. Bannard, the republican candidate for mayor of New York, was born in Brooklyn in 1854, graduated from Yale in 1876 and from Columbia law school in 1878. He practiced law a few years and then went into commercial lines. In 1893 he was made president of the Continental Trust Co. and is now president of the New York Trust Co. He is also a director in many large corporations.

A SONG OF COURAGE.

Oh, sing for the wind that blows
From the salt and storm of the sea!
And sing for the men that go
Who win and lose and live and die.
A guest of the sea is he.

Oh, sing for the vale of Peace
Where zephyrs are slow and soft.
Where ragings and strivings cease
And the skylark soars aloft!
Oh, sing for the hearts that leap
And rise to the stress of life,
And sing for the eyes too brave to weep
And the souls too great for strife!

—Clarissa Dixon, in Success.

THE NUNACOTICS.

W. J. Stower, who has returned from a two years' trip in Alaska, has discovered a new tribe of Eskimos in Prince Albert land.

These Eskimos, who call themselves Nunacotics, said they had never before seen a white man. Stower says they were very tall and looked much like the North American Indian. They all wore rich furs. They had never seen a gun and were startled when one was fired off for their education. Men and women of the tribe carried bows and arrows. The women were heavily tattooed.—San Francisco Chronicle.

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